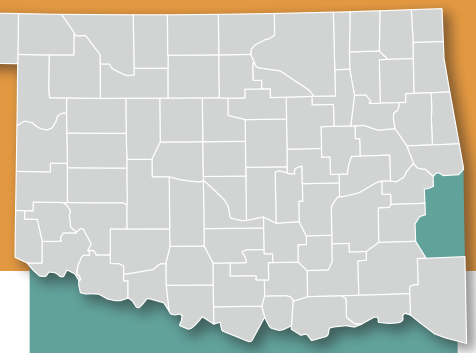


LE FLORE COUNTY

Drug Overdose Facts



DRUG OVERDOSE FAST FACTS*

Le Flore County Data (2016-2020)

- There were 56 unintentional drug overdose deaths in Le Flore County.
- Le Flore County had the 17th highest death rate in the state.
- Males and females had similar drug overdose death rates.
- Adults aged 35-54 had the highest rate of death.
- More than one out of four (27%) people who died had a history of mental health problems.
- Nearly two out of three (63%) people who died had a history of substance abuse.
- Learn the warning signs of an overdose — 70% of deaths occurred at a home or apartment.

*Rates per 100,000 population. Some rates are based on a small number of cases and should be interpreted with caution.

Most common substances in Le Flore County overdose deaths:

Methamphetamine

Hydrocodone

Oxycodone

Diazepam

Fentanyl

Alcohol

Alprazolam

Codeine

NUMBER OF UNINTENTIONAL OVERDOSE DEATHS BY TYPE OF SUBSTANCE

LE FLORE COUNTY, 2016-2020

56

All unintentional drug overdoses

28

Methamphetamine

30

Opioids

11

Benzodiazepines

0

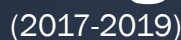
Cocaine



12 Oklahomans die every week from an unintentional drug overdose

STATE FACTS:

- From 2016-2020, more than 3,300 Oklahomans died of an unintentional drug overdose.
- From 2007-2020, the unintentional methamphetamine-related overdose death rate increased 12-fold. In 2020, methamphetamine was involved in nearly two out of three (64%) unintentional drug overdose deaths.
- From 2013-2019, the rate of unintentional prescription opioid-related overdose death decreased by 58% (501 deaths in 2013; 215 deaths in 2019).
- From 2018-2020, nearly nine out of ten (87%) drug overdose deaths were unintentional and 8% were due to suicide.



- Opioids (22%)
- Benzodiazepines (17%)
- Non-opioid pain medications (13%)
- Antidepressants (13%)
- Stimulants (12%)

Females were 51% more likely to be hospitalized than males.

**ADULTS
50-59**
HAVE THE HIGHEST RATES
OF HOSPITALIZATION

- Benzodiazepines (19%)
- Opioids (17%)
- Non-opioid pain medications (16%)
- Stimulants (14%)
- Antidepressants (11%)

* Includes all intents of nonfatal drug overdose – unintentional, self harm, undetermined, and assault

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